

BRADLEY GIVEN HEARING STAY

Calif. Man Charged in
Kennedy Case

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Edgar Eugene Bradley, charged with criminal conspiracy to commit murder in the 1963 assassination of President John F. Kennedy, was granted a 60-day continuance of his Municipal Court hearing Monday.

Judge Joan Dempsey Klein ordered Bradley to return to court March 29 for further proceedings.

Meantime extradition papers issued in New Orleans, La., arrived in Sacramento, Calif., where they were to be assessed by the state attorney general's office. New Orleans Dist. Atty. Jim Garrison seeks to have Bradley sent to New Orleans to testify in Garrison's assassination probe.

Bradley, 49, of North Hollywood, has denied any special knowledge of the assassination. When he surrendered to the sheriff in December his attorney said he would fight extradition "tooth and nail."

Earlier this month judges refused to extradite two other Californians wanted by Garrison for testimony in New Orleans.

Loran E. Hall, 33, of Kernville and Lawrence J. Howard Jr., 33, of El Monte, were named by Garrison as witnesses needed in his assassination probe.

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—Marina Oswald Porter was handed a subpoena Monday to appear before a New Orleans grand jury investigating claims that the assassination of President John F. Kennedy was a conspiracy.

Mrs. Porter is the widow of Lee Harvey Oswald, named by the Warren Commission as the assassin.

New Orleans Dist. Atty. Jim Garrison has charged that a conspiracy to kill the late president existed.

The widow later married Kenneth Jess Porter and they live in Richardson, a Dallas suburb.

SERVED AT HOME

The subpoena was served by Dallas County deputy sheriffs at her home. She was directed to appear before State Dist. Court Judge John Mead Feb. 1 for a hearing on the subpoena which calls for her to be in New Orleans Feb. 8 and 9.

Oswald was killed two days after the Nov. 22, 1963 slaying of Kennedy. His slayer was Jack Ruby, Dallas night club operator who died of complications of cancer.

Sheriff Bill Decker said his deputies advised Mrs. Porter that she had a right to counsel at the hearing before Judge Mead and could protest the subpoena.

Earlier, Mrs. Porter said she did not want to go to New Orleans but would do so if required.

KNEW NONE IN PROBE

She has steadfastly said since the beginning of Garrison's investigation some months ago that she knew none of the figures named by Garrison in his probe.

In Omaha, Neb., meanwhile, a district court hearing for Thomas Edward Beckham, 27, Omaha, sought as a material witness in the New Orleans investigation into the alleged plot to assassinate Kennedy, was postponed indefinitely Monday.

Beckham, hurt in an auto accident Saturday night, was to have appeared to show cause why he should not return to New Orleans to testify in Garrison's inquiry. Beckham suffered a broken right arm in the accident.